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LIBRARY BOARD WILL BE CRAMPED

Not Allowed as Much Money
as Charter Provides

Should Receive Nearly Five Thousand, But Is Cut Down By General Council.

IMPROVEMENTS ARE NEEDED

With \$500 less for its maintenance this year than it received last year, the Paducah public library will have difficulty in getting through the year unless some other department of the city takes charge of some of its improvements, or the money is obtained for the work outside the apportionment this year, \$3,500. The board asked for \$1,500, just \$500 more than was received last year. The increasing demands on the institution, following the growing patronage, requires more money for books each year.

In addition to new books, which the board desires to purchase there are 400 books completely worn out that must be replaced. These books have been rebound. Now the spines of them are too far gone for repairs. Unless the old books are replaced and new ones added the library will go down until there will be no books at all.

Several hundred dollars must be spent this spring on the alleyway between the building and the Grace Episcopal church. The library committee wishes crushed stone and the church committee vitrified brick. When the question of material is agreed on the work will be done.

A concrete curbing around the library lot is needed, as the embankment will be trampled down, and one of the prettiest corners ruined otherwise. This will require several thousand dollars, but it will likely be provided for.

The charter provides that the library shall receive three per cent of the school levy and one-half the net fines and costs in police court. As the school apportionment is \$33,000 the library income from taxes should be \$990, while one-half of last year's police court fines would be \$3,457.28, making a total revenue of \$4,447.28, showing that the library board has not asked for all it is entitled to. Under the Carnegie contract ten per cent should be levied, which would make the income about \$7,000.

FIVE FEET HAD THIS HOG WHICH HARRIS RAISED

Tom Harris, a well known farmer and stock raiser of the Hinkleville road, raised a five footed hog. On the night foreleg the hog had two perfectly formed feet. Harris struck a bargain with Rouse & Sanders, grocers. He wanted to keep the freak hog, but the grocers claimed it belonged to the hog, when they had paid for.

Family of Three Drowned.
Exeter, Mo., Jan. 23.—Word was received here today of the drowning of a man, woman and child, named Everston, while crossing White river in a wagon, 20 miles east of here last evening. The family was en route from Oklahoma to their home in Arkansas when the accident happened.

TWENTY MINERS DEAD.
Denver, Jan. 23.—Twenty miners were reported dead as the result of an explosion at Brimley mines.

Ghent & Elliott May Relinquish Garbage Dump Contract With City

Complications into which the board of health has been thrown by the high water may ultimately lead to the establishment of an incinerating plant.

"Ghent & Elliott claim that they make no money, in fact, lose it," President C. H. Brothers, of the board of health, said this morning. "Although they took out over a thousand carcasses from the city last year and reduced them to oil, they failed to profit. This high water will cause them to lose money in fulfilling their contract, and all the city can do is to take it away from them, they having given no bond; and the contractors are more than willing to relinquish their obligations. I believe a dump far from the city can be secured where farmers may secure fertilizer and carry it away, as is done in other cities."

CLOSE VALVES.

"In about two more days we will begin to hear complaints about cellars being filled with water," said City Engineer L. A. Washington this morning. "At the approaching stage of high water the water is bound to be forced back into the sewer mains and through the drain pipes into the houses. People neglect to close valves and this accounts for most of the distress on such occasions. There will be plenty of water standing in cellars all over the city and putting out furnace fires. People should be warned of such danger."

MAKE INCREASE IN PERSONALTY

Plan of Tax Book Supervisors
and Jewels, Luxuries, Motor
Boats and Automobiles Will
Be Assessed

REAL ESTATE TWO PER CENT.

Estimates made by a member of the board of city tax book supervisors on the total raise of the assessment over the figures of Assessor Stewart Dick, fix the raise at 2 per cent, but this does not mean that the total raise from last year will be this small. In many instances the assessor's figures have been increased, and because of the upholding of values by the assessor, the board of supervisors have had occasion to make few changes.

Until the work of the supervisors is finished, the actual raise over last year's assessment will not be known, but it is said there will be more personal property assessed this year than heretofore. In 1906 a list of taxable personal property was anonymously sent to the board of supervisors and was used by city and county. This "stirred 'em up" a bit, and this year a full dozen of gasoline launches have been plying the rivers about Paducah. Many new and more expensive automobiles have been purchased, and these will go to swell the list. It is understood that the supervisors are looking closely after personal property assessment, as many have escaped taxation by concealment of the possession of diamonds, pianos and such property hard to reach by the assessor.

POPULAR SKATING RESORT IS COURT HOUSE YARD

The court house yard has been converted into the most popular skating rink in Paducah, and kids and misses from four and five years to "grown ups" can be seen skating on rollers from early morning until late afternoon. The concrete walks are used affording an excellent place for the sport.

Was Too Inquisitive.
Ray Walker's inquisitive nature landed him in the city lockup on the charge of disorderly conduct this morning. He climbed up on engines examining the throttles and other working in the shop yards, and was found busily engaged in his investigation by Special Patrolman Tolbert. His trial will be held tomorrow.

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There is only one kind of a newspaper circulation statement that is worth any consideration and that is the daily detailed statement. The Sun is the only Paducah paper printing such a statement.

MIGHT CONSIDER THE NOMINATION

Judge James Breathitt Says
He is Not in Race

Hopkinsville's Great Lawyer Is in
Paducah Today and Is Urged
for Governor.

IT MUST COME UNSOLICITED.

Judge James Breathitt, of Hopkinsville, who is most prominently mentioned in connection with the Republican nomination for governor, is in the city on business. He was approached by many friends, who urged him to make the race. To all of them Judge Breathitt had the same answer:

"I am not seeking the nomination. However, those most intimate with him feel certain he would not refuse the place."

"While I am not seeking the nomination," said Judge Breathitt in answer to direct questions, "it is an honor no man could lightly put aside. I have always been ready to aid my party, and if I was thought the most available man, I might consider the race, but the nomination would have to come to me unsolicited."

"I admit I have received numerous letters from friends over the state since my name has been mentioned, and they are very kind."

TO BE REPORTED.

Rivers and Harbors Bill Carrying
\$80,000,000 Appropriation.

Washington, January 23.—The rivers and harbors bill, carrying approximately an appropriation of \$80,000,000, will be reported out of the committee tomorrow. The Mississippi river will get \$15,000,000; the state of Missouri, inland waterways, \$647,500; the Mississippi river below Cairo, \$9,000,000; the state of Arkansas, \$557,500; the state of Tennessee, including Tennessee river, \$1,000,895; the state of Alabama, \$876,900.

The distribution of the total for each of the states named has been given in former dispatches.

OLDRIEVE AT MEMPHIS.

Has Best Day, Making Fifty-Six
Miles.

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 23.—With steamboat whistles blowing and a great throng on the river front to welcome him Capt. Charles W. Oldrieve, the man who is "walking on the water" from Cincinnati to New Orleans, a distance of 1,060 miles on a \$5,000 wager, reached this city yesterday afternoon shortly after 3 o'clock, twenty-four hours behind the schedule. He had his best day yesterday, and made 56 miles.

Water at Portsmouth.

Portsmouth, O., Jan. 23.—Water still covers parts of the business district. The damage will reach thousands of dollars. Many buildings are completely wrecked. The destruction is even greater than by the '81 flood. The town has been without light, and gas supply is promised this evening.

Alleged Counterfeiters.
Muskegon, I. T., Jan. 23.—William Clark, and George Keller, alias Francis Sparks, alleged counterfeiters, were arrested tonight. They had a die for printing bills of the Merchants and Planters bank of Augustin Ga.

Talbot on Committee.
Indianapolis, Jan. 23.—Joshua Frederick Talbot, member of congress from Maryland, was today appointed a member of the Democratic national committee, by Chairman Taggart to fill a vacancy.

21 Below Zero.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Jan. 23.—The government thermometer registered 21 below zero this morning. Sleds are driven across the river on ice today.

Simmons Re-Elected.
Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 23.—Senator F. M. Simmons was today re-elected United States senator by the state legislature, receiving 116 votes, against 24 for Spencer B. Adams.

GRAIN MARKET.

Cincinnati, Jan. 23.—Wheat, 76; corn, 45; oats, 39 1-2.



HARRY K. THAW AND HIS BEAUTIFUL WIFE, EVELYN NESBIT THAW.

Tug of War Between Former Mayors Is Looked for in the Mayoralty Race

Former Mayor Lang Says that
if Former Mayor Reed is
Candidate He Will Enter
Lists Against Him

THE DEMOCRATIC SITUATION.

Latest developments in Democratic municipal politics indicate a complicated situation in regard to the mayoralty race, the principals being the administration and former Mayor James Lang. Charles Reed, it is understood, is the choice of the administration forces for mayor. Mr. Reed is popular and once graced the executive chair, besides serving his time in the legislative department. Although no announcements at all have been made, it is known that friends of former Mayor Reed are

surveying the ground, with the view of putting him forward when the proper time comes.

This information is the cue for former Mayor Lang, who also has a desire to be identified with the next administration, to start a counter movement, and he is quietly settling the woods on fire with the statement, so it is said, that if former Mayor Reed runs, he, former Mayor Lang, will be a candidate before the Democratic primary.

It is believed that former Mayor Lang would much prefer that some one else enjoy the honors and emoluments and troubles and discomforts of the executive chair, but he longs to sit close to the throne. His idea is, so it is understood, to puncture the Reed boom rather than to make the race personally, and if he succeeds, we may hear of other names.

FINE MUST STAND AGAINST COMPANY

The Court of Appeals Affirms
Decision of Mayfield Court
in Liquor Case in That City
Last Summer

CASE ATTRACTED ATTENTION

The case of the commonwealth of Graves county against George H. Goodman & company, this city, has been affirmed by the court of appeals, and the firm will have to pay a fine of \$100 and costs for operating in a local option town. Since last summer the case had been hanging fire, and was hard fought. The Paducah firm deals in liquors, a dealer in Mayfield solicited orders. Goods were shipped to him personally and he distributed. The firm was prosecuted, the commonwealth holding it responsible for the actions of its agents. A fine of \$100 and costs was assessed in the test case, and pending the settlement in the appellate court, operations in Graves county were ceased by Goodman & company. Goodman was represented by Crossland and Seny, of Mayfield.

Benjamin Tillman Re-elected.
Solumbia, S. C., Jan. 23.—Both houses of the legislature today re-elected B. R. Tillman to the United States senate.

THAW TRIAL IS ON IN NEW YORK CITY

Begin Choosing Jury From
Two Hundred Talesmen as
Soon as Court Convenes This
Morning.

PRISONER AIDS HIS COUNSEL.

New York, Jan. 23.—The great Thaw trial is on. The fight to save Harry Kendall Thaw from electrocution in the electric chair for slaying Architect Stanford White began this morning before Justice Fitzgerald in the supreme court. Drawing the jury to try the young millionaire began with the opening of court. It will be days before the jury is selected from 200 talesmen. Thaw is aiding his counsel in picking the jury.

After the roll call of talesmen was concluded District Attorney Jerome moved that Harry Thaw be arraigned for trial on the charge of murder. "Harry K. Thaw to bar," called the clerk. There was intense silence in the room when the officer opened the door leading to the jury room and Thaw entered. He was pale and nervous. He marched quickly to his seat and looked at his wife and mother. He gave them a smile and nod. They smiled. His wife nodded a cheering greeting. Charles W. Dryden, an engineer, was the first talesman called. He had formed an opinion and was excused.

ROGERS GOES TO PEN TO SERVE HIS ONE YEAR.

Sheriff John W. Ogilvie went to Eddyville this morning with Albert Rogers who was sentenced at the last term of circuit court to one year in the penitentiary for petit larceny. Rogers has been waiting in Paducah since then trying to get a new trial, but failing was taken up to serve his sentence today.

Gamboling in Cotton.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Senator Culberson has introduced a bill prohibiting the sending of any information regarding dealings in cotton futures, either over interstate telegraph lines or through the mails.

WEATHER —

Partly cloudy with rising temperature tonight and Thursday. Possibly snow flurries in north portion tonight. Highest temperature yesterday, 38; lowest today, 24.

TEN YEAR'S RECORD WILL BE PASSED

When River Tide Reaches
Maximum at Paducah

Already Water Has Crossed First and
Jefferson Intersection—Over
the Trestle.

MILLS NOT DAMAGED AT ALL.

Government reports indicate that the river here will continue to rise for five days, and that the maximum stage will be 45 feet. The river rose one foot and three-tenths in the last 24 hours, the same rise as was registered for the preceding 24 hours, and a big rise for the present stage of the river. The stage this morning at 7 o'clock was 42.3.

In 1898 the river rose slightly above 43 feet and tomorrow probably will find as high a stage here. After that stage is reached all records for over ten years back will be broken. Last April, the usual spring rise carried the river to a 40 foot stage. Snow fell lightly this morning but a heavy snowfall would have little immediate effect, though should it melt it would swell the volume of water. It takes about a foot of snow to equal an inch of rainfall.

The river is over the Illinois Central railroad track at First and Jefferson streets this morning, for a distance of 25 feet. Tomorrow morning will find the river all over the foot of Jefferson street and stopping traffic out of First street into that street. In the Western District Tobacco warehouses on First and Jefferson streets, many hogheads of tobacco are stored, worth thousands of dollars, but water will enter the Second street entrance of the warehouses before it gets into the river ends.

No considerable inconvenience has resulted to the south side lumber mills this far in the high water, though should the river rise higher than expected, they will be in a precarious situation. The bluff along the river there are high and at Third and Broad streets it probably is the highest ground in the city. In the north end of the city, the barracks on Sixth street are the highest point. In 1884 the back water was all over that part of the city where the Union passenger station is now and extended back into the woods for miles.

Standing on the wharfoat, a view for several squares up Broadway is possible. The water is lapping the rear of the square of buildings between Jefferson street and Broadway, occupied by the Paducah Ice company and the Fowler, Crumbaugh & company boat store. It is five feet distant from the Armour depot. It is unlikely that the water company's pumping station will be affected. The south gateway of the wharfoat was in use this morning, as the river has risen sufficiently to put it near the top of the bluff.

The sharp fall at Pittsburg yesterday, and the falls at Cincinnati and Louisville, are encouraging, and the condition in the Cumberland river is not serious. The Mississippi river is unusually high and no boats can go under the Rades bridge. As few boats are running, it will not be a great inconvenience.

Looters Are at Work.

Henderson, Ky., Jan. 23.—The river is still rising, and thousands of bushels of corn go with every inch. Forty-six feet is the stage expected today. The ferryboat Henderson is securing the Indiana lowlands and getting several loads of stock daily. Mules are being taken from parlors of houses and lots of stables. Many swim away and are lost.

The ferryboat cuts all telephone or telegraph wires which impede rescue work. Several men have had narrow escapes from drowning. Thieves are operating all over the submerged section stealing household goods, meat, etc. Many doors have been broken.

Destruction Is Heavy.

Owensboro, Ky., Jan. 23.—The water here has reached a point within two feet of that of 1881 and when the crest comes it will probably be within four inches of the former mark.

The bank around the Eagle distillery, on the river front here, has caved in and 400 barrels of whisky have been lost, while 700 head of cattle are starving and are standing in water up to their bodies, with little prospect for rescuing them.

One-half a million bushels of grain

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WOMEN IN HOSPITALS

Experiences of Mrs. Rockwood and Miss Tierney



MISS MARGARET TIERNEY

MRS. CHAS. A. ROCKWOOD

A large proportion of the operations performed in our hospitals are upon women and girls for some organic trouble.

Why should this be the case?

Because they have neglected themselves, as every one of these patients in the hospital beds had plenty of warning in those dragging sensations, pains at left or right of abdomen, backaches, nervous exhaustion, inflammation, ulceration, displacements, and other organic weaknesses.

All of these symptoms are indications of an unhealthy condition of the female system and if not heeded the penalty has to be paid by a dangerous operation. When these symptoms manifest themselves, do not drag along until you are obliged to go to the hospital and submit to an operation—but remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, has saved hundreds of women from surgical operations.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has cured more cases of feminine ills than any other one remedy. Such letters as the following

Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. From the symptoms given, the trouble may be located and the quickest and surest way of recovery advised. Out of her vast volume of experience in treating female ills Mrs. Pinkham probably has the very knowledge that may help your case. Her advice is free and always helpful.

Ask Mrs. Pinkham's Advice—A Woman Best Understands a Woman's Ills.

The Kentucky

BOTH PHONES 548.

Tuesday Night, Jan. 29

Here's a Good One.



THE ORIGINAL

HOOLIGAN'S TROUBLES

With the original Hooligan Arthur O. May, dainty Grace Burgoyne and the original all star company. 23 Vaudeville and musical numbers. This is the play and this is the company that makes 'em all whistle, sing, roar and shout.

Prices: 25c, 35c, 50c.
Seats on sale Monday 9 a. m.

Wednesday Night, Jan. 30

The Eminent Actor

CHARLES B. HANFORD

Accompanied by

MISS MARIE DROFNAH

In a Notable Production of

Julius Caesar

40 People in the Cast 40

A Carload of Special Scenery.

Prices: 25, 35, 50, 75, \$1 and \$1.50
Seats on sale Tuesday 9 a. m.

Defends Smoot.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Senator Sutherland today came to the defense of his colleague, Senator Smoot, of Utah, defending his right to retain his seat in the United States senate. Prefacing his argument with observations on the gravity of the charges against Mr. Smoot, the junior Utah senator, said there were extreme views held in his state on both sides of the question. He said he did not expect to satisfy either of these extreme classes.

PELL FROM TRAIN INTO BACKWATER

And Flagman Sank in Fifty Feet of Icy Tide

No One Heard Him Fall and in Darkness He Swam to Piling and Saved Himself.

MR. LUTHER AVERY'S MISHAP

Losing his foothold on the slippery iron hand rail, Luther Avery, of 1623 Tennessee street, fell to waist level from a freight train into the icy back water at East Calro just before dawn this morning. By desperate efforts the railroad worker managed to save himself, and did not realize his perilous position until after he was safely stored away in the caboose by a hot stove undergoing a brisk rubbing down.

Avery is a flagman running between Mounds, Ill., and Paducah, on the Cairo extension of the Illinois Central. He is assigned to manifest freight train, No. 552, Conductor Boyers Robertson, and Engineer Benn. The train left Mounds early this morning, and at East Calro stopped on a high trestle to meet a north bound train. Avery stood on top of a box car, lantern in hand for it was yet dark. After flagging the train to a stop, he started down the rails of the box in an adjoining flat car towards the caboose.

Missing his footing he fell. Down he went, missing the ends of the ties by a hair breadth. He cried out for assistance but his cries were unheard.

With a splash he fell in the water, feet foremost. Sinking below the surface he collected his scattered wits, and on rising struck out desperately. It was dark in his fall his lantern was extinguished. Fortunately the flagman selected the right direction, and in an instant his hands came in contact with a cluster of piling.

With a glad cry Avery held firmly to the slippery poles. He was shivering from the icy water and growing weak. No one heeding his shouts he began to climb slowly working his way towards the black ties above he gained courage. Once he slipped, and fell back a few feet. More caution was exercised until he reached the ties. Drawing himself up he caught the journal boxes of a truck and dripping with icy water he made his way to the caboose.

Avery was not seen to fall, and the fact that his train was standing doubtless saved him from being crushed to death under the wheels.

EX-CORPSE

Tells All About How He Died During Yellow Fever Plague.

Chattanooga, Jan. 23.—John Calro, while testifying at a trial, said that in 1871 the year of Chattanooga's yellow fever scourge, he was buried alive for 12 hours, being thought dead.

"I was taken ill of yellow fever," he said. "The next day I died. That is, they thought I died, but I did not. I suppose I was in a trance. They put me in a coffin and at about 10 o'clock buried me. I wore a ring that was claimed by a young woman. That night her friends dug up my body to get the ring. I heard the hammering on the box. Then I felt the pulling on my finger. I sat up in the coffin and the gravediggers ran. I got out of the grave, but don't know what I did until the next day, when I found myself on the street in my underclothes."

WITCHCRAFT PLEA IN COURT

Early Salem Days Recalled by Strange Charge in Nebraska Town.

Butte, Neb., Jan. 23.—A tale of witchcraft that recalls the early days of Salem, Mass., appears in the complaint just filed here by Jacob Jargens, a farmer living near Spencer. He declares that black art has been practiced for some months against members of his family and against his cattle and horses by a young neighbor woman.

The trouble began last Easter, when when Jargens' son, while dancing with the alleged witch found himself unable to put his foot to the ground, and fell into hysterics. The hysteria did not abate for several days, when the spell was broken by a friend from Spencer, who went to the Jargens farm and quoted scripture.

Eventually it became necessary to send the boy to another part of the state.

Japs Suffer Loss.

Tokio, Jan. 23.—The main buildings of the department of communications was burned this morning involving a loss of a half million. Most of the documents were destroyed.

Theatrical Notes

AT THE KENTUCKY.

Wednesday night and balance of week, "The Inn Lehr Stock Company," with matinee Saturday.

"The Little Mother."

Ina Lehr and company will present tonight at The Kentucky "The Little Mother," a beautiful story full of fun and pathos. Miss Lehr has surrounded herself with a capable company of players. Miss Lehr has also given special attention to her vaudeville entertainment 4 pleasing vaudeville acts in be interspersed during rendition of the play, making it a continuous dramatic and vaudeville entertainment. Miss Lehr will be seen in the leading role; she will also be seen in many character interpretations during her engagement.

Julius Caesar.

The tourist in Italy invariably pauses with reverential reluctance on the ruins of ancient Rome, as they stand unearthed in their marble magnificence. Fragmentary and incomplete, they are still majestic reminders of a time of historical splendor, such as the world may never see again. In a play such as "Julius Caesar" which Charles B. Hanford will present at The Kentucky on Wednesday, January 30, it becomes the function of the producer not only to restore these ruins to the modern eye but to re-people their streets and palaces. The task is one whose fascinations have influenced many of the world's greatest players. It is not strange that Mr. Charles B. Hanford, who this season undertakes it, since it was the role of "Mare Antony" which at the outset of his career brought him fame as a representative American actor.

"Merry Wives of Windsor."

Among the pretentious dramatic offerings of the season the coming presentation of "The Merry Wives of Windsor," by Louis James, will be one of the most conspicuous, for it is said that Mr. James has not only given a magnificent scenic embellishment to this delightful comedy, but has surrounded himself with a coterie of conferees worthy of his association and best consideration. Nellie McHenry, who has been identified with some of the most important productions of the last decade, has been specially engaged to play "Mistress Quickly," a character that is said to fit her like the proverbial glove. Norman Hackett, a sterling young actor, who has been identified with nearly all of Mr. James' productions for the past ten years, will be "Master Ford." Alphonse James, remembered for her splendid service with Mr. James last season in the "Mistress Ford," and Charlotte Lambert, an actress of excellent reputation, the "Mistress Page." Other players worthy of more than passing note are: J. Arthur Young, Lillian Lancaster, Nathan Aronson, William Christie Miller, C. D. Burt, H. D. Brown, G. W. Ward, H. F. Maurice, etc. Mr. James will, of course, be the "Falstaff" and there are few characters in which this splendid actor excels with happier results than as the inimitable knight of Windsor, "Happy Jack Falstaff." At The Kentucky Monday night.

Some Truth in This Hooligan. Many times attractions or "shows"



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As they are more popularly termed, looking largely the smaller towns, conform before organizing to the probable business to be expected. Others, especially those who have a reputation to sustain, figure on possibilities. The latter apply to "Hooligan's Trouble" to appear at The Kentucky on Tuesday night, inasmuch as it is the original company with Arthur O. May (the original Hooligan), and Grace Burgoyne (the original Freckles), in the cast, supported by (with one exception) the entire original company. To make amply good, twenty-one "specialty" and musical numbers are on the program.

FINE CUBANS CAUGHT IN RAID

Liberal Leaders, Caught at Cock Fight, Say It Was for Americans.

Havana, Jan. 23.—General Jose Miguel Gomez, the Liberal presidential candidate; ex-Congressman Mendicta and General Montecarlo, the two latter also being Liberals, were fined \$50 each this morning for cock fighting. General Pino Guerra, the ex-revolutionary leader, was to have appeared in court on the same charge but excused himself on account of illness. The defendants claimed that they did not intend to break the law, but only wished to make a demonstration of Cuba's national spirit to some high American army officers.

GYPSY PRETENDER.

Followed By His Subjects By Use of Telephone.

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 23.—Reo Slateno, alleged king of the Gypsies, who, it is claimed by a band of local Gypsies, levied tribute upon wandering tribes under threats of death, was located through a long-distance telephone message from Indianapolis after an appeal had been telegraphed to President Theodore Roosevelt for the aid of the secret service sleuths.

Slateno, according to a gypsy in Indianapolis, left that city at 6 o'clock last Wednesday evening for New York.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS
PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 60c.

STOLE CHIEF'S LANTERNS.

Thieves Render Futile His Efforts to Comply With Law.

Chief of Police James Collins awoke to find himself a law violator this morning. Chief Collins is making improvements at his home, Jones

The physic habit is more dangerous than dyspepsia

Most Physicists Leave You Weak. Dyspepsia often causes intense distress and pain, which is quickly relieved by a thorough physic, but unless the proper remedy is taken the patient is very apt to find himself a slave to the "Physic Habit." This is caused by the severe shock which the drug gives to the intestinal muscles making them so weak they are unable to voluntarily perform their functions. The bowels cannot act of their own accord and so the physic which caused the trouble is taken again but in a larger dose in order to accomplish results. The need for such an artificial treatment becomes chronic and the size of the dose must be gradually increased. The patient at last becomes a confirmed victim of the "Physic Habit," and his strength and health rapidly leave him.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin

does not act like other laxatives. Instead of weakening the intestinal muscles it so strengthens them that they can perform their functions unaided. It is a pleasant remedy to take, and rapidly strengthens all the muscles through its great tonic properties. In cases of dyspepsia it quickly relieves the pain and soon affects a permanent cure. All druggists sell Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin at 50 cents and \$1 a bottle. Money back if it doesn't satisfy.

Pepsin Syrup Co. Monticello, Ill.

and Fifth streets. He had a pile of completed with the law. This morn-
brick in front of his house, and plac- ing his lanterns were gone.
ing two red lanterns, for which he Every man sees an earthly angel
had paid \$1.25 each, on the brick, re- tired conscious that he had fully
turned conscious that he had fully in the woman he loves.

Always Remember the Full Name
Laxative Bromo Quinine on every
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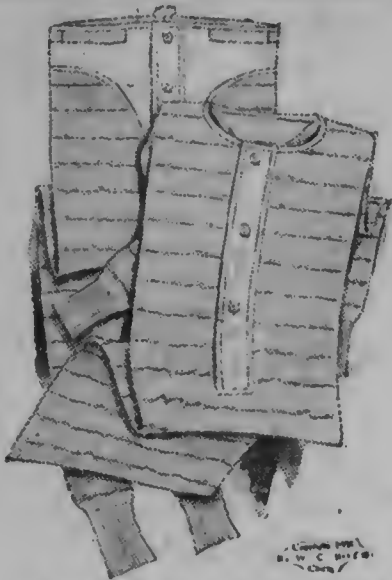
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Hopkinsville Editor Talks to the Farmers About Cultivating Tobacco

The editor of the Hopkinsville New Era, who is somewhat of a farmer himself, urges upon his farmer readers the importance of early and prompt attention to burning and seeding of tobacco beds in order to be ready to plant early. Everyone knows how difficult it is to get a good stand of tobacco late. After the sun gets hot, cut worms come on and planting seasons are uncertain. Then follows more hard work, taking all summer up to frost to safely house a late crop, and then the yield is never so good and the quality seldom equal to the early planting.

There is no necessity for any farmer being late with his crop for want of plenty of early plants. Late plants make late farming in everything, and bring on a hard year's work. It is pure neglect and want of attention to plant the beds that makes scarce and late plants, and every planter knows this. There is no regular set day or time to make plant beds. The time allowed is from now on until the middle of March, and therefore the job is postponed, put off from day to day; always something lacking or something else to do, and this most important farm

work is neglected until late, and then the canvas, a little fertilizer and the hot sun are relied on to bring fine plants, which must be reset, while small and tender—much replanting, and plants hard to start growing.

If you want a good crop and would be beforehand all the year, begin to get ready for burning plant beds. Prepare the wood and brush, and the first good spell, when the ground is in good order, be ready to burn, sow and canvas. No matter how light and rich the ground, be sure to have ready a wagonload of good stable manure to spread over the bed and work it in nicely. Then sow, good clean seed. If no stable manure, use commercial fertilizer to stimulate the soil. Then look after the beds and see that they lack neither warmth nor water. Next prepare the tobacco land in a jiffy. Keep it well stirred and aired. When the ground is loosed a constant current of electricity is circulating, enlivening the soil, while pestiferous worms are destroyed. Farmers who will follow this practice, never neglecting their plant beds for corn planting or anything else, will be sure to have of good strong plants to set the crop in April, when planting seasons are plenty and sure; and in case of drought, the season is easily made by watering the roots of the plants and setting them in fresh, well prepared ground. Moreover, it is easier to get help or hire labor at that season to set plants.

Next thing, don't try to set more tobacco than you are sure of the labor to cultivate well and take care of the crop. Just a word here. Owing to the uncertainty of labor farmers will be forced to reduce planting considerably. Planters with large farms ought to have an eye to the labor question, and begin to shape up their farming operations to get along with less labor, and still reap greater profits from the farm by diversification and improving the land every year.

Kills Mother and Self.
Flint, Mich., Jan. 23.—Frank Green, widower, last night murdered Mrs. Thomas Bralwood and shot her son, George, inflicting a slight wound. He then committed suicide by shooting himself. Opposition on the part of the mother to Green marrying her 18-year-old daughter caused the tragedy.

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TILLMAN SCORED BY SEN. CARMACK

For Speech Referring to Tennessee's Retirement

Most Severe Attack Heard in Chamber Since Tillman and Laurien Fell Out.

EXCITEMENT AT A HIGH PITCH

Washington, Jan. 23.—The most sensational episode in the United States Senate since the personal encounter between Senators Tillman and McLaughlin in the spring of 1902 occurred on Tuesday. "Pitchfork Ben" again occupied the center of the stage, but retired to second place when Senator Carmack of Tennessee, a Democrat, arose and in a few sentences administered to the South Carolinian the bitterest, most humiliating tongue-lashing that has been heard in the Senate chamber during the term of the present generation of members.

When Mr. Spooner finished Senator Carmack obtained the floor and spoke as follows:

"I believe that no senator here has given more frequent or severe provocation for retort than senator from South Carolina has done, and no senator has complained more often or more bitterly of having been made the victim of offensive remarks. No senator on either side of the chamber has ever made remarks about the senator from South Carolina as studiously offensive as the senator from South Carolina, without any provocation whatever, has seen fit to make of a number of his colleagues in this chamber."

"The senator from South Carolina saw fit to include me in his personal remarks, without any provocation whatever, as far as I can judge. I have no feeling of resentment toward the senator from South Carolina, for, without making any personal application, I wish to say that with respect to some men it is a misfortune rather than a fault that they do not know how to speak the language of courtesy and good feeling."

Rebuts Low Fling.

"The senator from South Carolina saw fit to allude to the fact that I had been defeated for re-election. It was a retort so obvious, so easily within the reach of the most groveling controversial faculty, that I am not surprised that it should have been suggested to the intelligence of the senator from South Carolina."

"The senator from South Carolina did not need to lift his body from the dust to attain to the height of that great retort."

"I believe it to be true, Mr. President, and I say it with pride, that the fact that my service terminates is a matter of regret to nearly every senator upon this side of the chamber, and I believe to most of the senators upon the other side of the chamber. I doubt very much whether that could be truthfully said with respect to either side if the senator from South Carolina were in my position."

When Mr. Carmack spoke as above of his coming retirement many of the senators on the Republican side nodded their heads in approval of the sentiment expressed.

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"Mr. President," continued Mr. Carmack, "the senator from South Carolina says that my spear is broken."

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and that I have taken a garland of flowers upon the broken spear to the White House. Broken or unbroken, that spear has never been dipped in the fifth of the gutter. I am glad to say that that shattered spear will be withdrawn from here unstained with dishonor and unstained by any act of mine with anything that approaches that name."

Senator Carmack stood directly behind Senator Tillman while he delivered this philippic. Throughout its delivery Senator Tillman was crouched low in his seat, his chin buried in his breast. When he jumped to the floor to demand a chance to explain his remarks to the senator from Tennessee the latter demanded a chance to be heard again if Tillman were to have a say. With scarcely two feet separating the belligerents, the situation was critical, but Senator Teller, who really was entitled to the floor and had yielded temporarily to Mr. Carmack, came to the rescue with a motion to close the doors, declaring that Tillman already had had his day in court.

3-YEAR-OLD HERO SAVES BABY

Small Boy, Alone, Tugs Infant's Cradle From a Burning House.

La Crosse, Wis., Jan. 23.—Remarkable presence of mind of the 3-year-old son of J. F. Schrank today saved the life of his 14-month-old baby sister in a fire which partly destroyed their home. The mother left the children alone while she stepped into the house of a neighbor. Smoke was seen pouring from the windows by pedestrians and an alarm brought the firemen. They found the child tugging with all his strength to pull the cradle in which the infant slept through an outer door. J. F. Schrank, the boy's father, is a prominent Elk, and about the Elks' club, where the affair has caused no end of comment, it is being proposed to present the boy with a gold medal.

MISSIONARIES LEAVE.

The Rev. T. H. Stuart and Dr. D. T. Stuart start Friday night. The Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Stuart, Presbyterian missionaries to China, who have been spending their year's leave of absence in America will go to St. Louis Friday night, and on February 5 they sail from Seattle for the Orient. Dr. D. T. Stuart, their son, will accompany them Friday night. He goes to Hang Chow to assume charge of a hospital there. The missionaries are allowed a leave of absence every eight years. In the spring the Rev. Mr. Stuart will attend a missionary convention at Shanghai in commemoration of the centennial of Christianity in China.

Sell Girls on Market.

Washington, Jan. 23.—"Chinese boys and Chinese girls are sold in the San Francisco market every day like horses and mules," was one of the statements made by Representative McKinley, of California, before the house committee on foreign affairs which is considering the Perkins bill to modify the Chinese exclusion act. Mr. McKinley urged that only a few great companies, which brought such young Chinese to this country in practice slavery, would profit by any modifications of the exclusion act, and said the majority of Californians are opposed to any tampering with the present law.

In 1872 there were only nine baptized native Christians in Japan. Now there are more than 50,000, who contributed last year over \$100,000 to the cause of the church.

CULLOM ELECTED SENATOR AGAIN

No Interest in Event Which Was Purely Formal

Governor Deneen Appoints New Members of Board Without Delay—Local Option.

EXPRESS IS COMMON CARRIER.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 23.—Senator Shelby M. Cullom was elected a fifth time to represent Illinois in the national senate. The house and senate voted separately today and the two houses met in joint session to ratify the action. Practically no interest was taken in the cut and dried proceedings, the gallery being empty.

New Members Appointed.

Governor Deneen today appointed Bernard A. Eckhart, of Chicago, a member of the state board of railroad and warehouse commission, vice Isaac Elwood, of Dekalb, term expired; also J. A. Willoughby, of Belleville, vice A. L. French, of Chapin, term expired. The state board of trustees today elected Harry Godfrey Hardt at present first assistant physician at the Northern hospital for the insane at Elgin, superintendent of the asylum for the feeble minded children, vice C. B. Taylor, resigned.

Bill Makes Express Common Carrier.

Representative Campbell S. Hearn, of Quincy, today introduced in the house a bill making express companies in the state common carriers and placing them under the control of the state railroad and warehouse commission.

Local Option Bill.

Senator Potter, of Marlen, introduced a local option bill, which, with one exception, is similar in all respects to the measure being drawn up by the Anti-Saloon league. The clause in Senator Potter's bill not contained in the Anti-Saloon league's bill of last session provides that 25 per cent of all the revenue collected under the act shall be paid into the treasury of the county in which the revenue is collected.

NEWS OF KENTUCKY

Restocking Loch Mary.

Hopkinsville, Jan. 23.—When the dam at the big lake at Earlington broke recently thousands of fish escaped in the overflow. Since the break in the dam numerous sportsmen at Earlington have been sealing the small ponds and creeks below the dam. Several men worked all day, and according to reports from there, about 50,000 fish were captured and replaced in the lake. The work on the dam is progressing rapidly, and the water covers about 40 acres.

Hacked to Pieces.

Hopkinsville, Jan. 23.—In a shooting bee at Weaver's store, just across the state line in Tennessee, Sunday afternoon, George Collins was killed and two or three other negroes were more or less wounded. Collins was shot in the head and killed on the spot, and his body was hacked up considerably with an axe. Some of the attacking party also bore away the signs of the encounter, but all of them made their escape and have not yet been apprehended.

Tobacco Barn Burned.

Princeton, Ky., Jan. 23.—The dairy barn of W. H. Steger was destroyed by fire at 6 o'clock this morning, burning up all of his cows but four, all of his horses and mules, a large amount of feed stuff. The exact amount of loss and insurance is not known. Mr. Steger is a brother

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Robbed on Highway.
Hopkinsville, Jan. 23.—Saturday evening just before 6 o'clock Will Walker was struck on the head with some missile and knocked from his buggy, rendered unconscious and robbed just after he had passed the Western Kentucky asylum for the insane on his way to his home from town.

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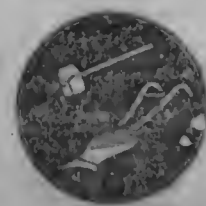
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Increase.....177

Personally appeared before me, this Jan. 1 1907, E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of Dec., 1906, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,
Notary Public.

My commission expires January 22, 1908.

Daily Thought.

Some knowledge is purchased only at the price of happiness itself.

A STEP BACKWARD.

With one protest against the items of the city budget for 1907, as passed by the board of councilmen, we must go on record, and that is the cutting down of the public library fund from \$1,000 to \$3,500. That \$500 for the library is more important to Paducah than the extra \$3,000 for the streets. It should not be said that this administration cares more for the domestic beasts than it does for the children. The library appropriation should be increased, rather than diminished, but, at all hazards, it should be kept up. The library is not over large for a city of this size. The annual report shows an increase of hundreds of patrons and a steady growth of the "library habit" among those who visit the institution. Our school children are being trained to use the library. When they grow up they will not forsake it. Whether they work in the shops, the office or the factory they will continue to patronize the library. Their tastes will be diversified. The library must cover a wide field, and it must be kept up to date. The proper way to build up a library is to add each year as much as possible to the collection of books. Gradual accumulation is the least expensive and most satisfactory method. There will never be a bond issue to buy books. The \$500 this board of councilmen is seeking to save, is \$500 stolen from the culture and knowledge of Paducah. The streets will wear out, the sidewalks will decay, the sewers will become useless some time, but the knowledge gained from one of the books that \$500 would buy, would never be lost. It would be transmitted from those who read it, to all who come in contact with them. Don't rob the library.

An old man would say, "I have done without a drink for so long that I wanted to slip off to the city and quench my thirst, but would rather no one would see it in the paper, please keep it out and you shall never lose anything by it."

Says Editor Lenon of the Mayfield Messenger, quoting some Mayfieldian who comes to Paducah every Sunday to quench his thirst.

But where do they get this oil of joy that attracts from 50 to 100 people from Mayfield to Paducah on the Sabbath day?

We had thought Paducah was closed on Sunday. Of course, we must allow for an abnormal aptitude for locating these things, peculiar to the Graves county male; but even then there must be somebody in Paducah who sells or gives away enough liquor on Sunday to satisfy the cravings of "fifty to one hundred" deferred appetites.

How little some big men are is demonstrated in the case of Governor

Swettenham, of Jamaica, who ordered Admiral Davis with his blue jackets to leave Kingston, because Swettenham was jealous of the capability displayed by the American admiral and his men in the emergency. It is needless to suggest that Governor Swettenham is not able to cope with the situation. A man who would stoop to such petty spite in the face of such a crisis as confronts Jamaica only arouses surprise that he could have climbed so high. Governor Swettenham, no doubt, will be found of little further use to his country.

Just one word of commendation, we have for Ben Tillman: his frankness, his disarming bluntness, his uprightness, his lawlessness, but he does so openly and sincerely.

TIDES OF COMMERCE TO SEA.

The house rivers and harbors committee is evidently controlled by influences hostile to the development of the water transportation lines of the Mississippi valley. It has been at work, by various committee room expedients, to minimize the claims of the western rivers in the rivers and harbors bill now in preparation, and above all to prevent the adoption of any comprehensive plan for securing permanent deep channels in the Mississippi river and its main tributaries. The committee is more than willing to provide a bigger congressional barrel of pork for distribution among all the members, and to pour thousands lavishly into bitter creek, Skowhegan hollow and Catfish slough, but draw the line at a depth of more than 8 feet in the Mississippi, the greatest continental river of the western hemisphere. Awkwardly for the purposes of the committee, a competent board of government engineers and a commission, at the close of 1905, after long and careful practical examination, reported favorably on the feasibility and cost of a 14-foot channel between St. Louis and the Chicago drainage canal. No engineering difficulties were found and the cost was placed at about \$31,000,000, in order to destroy the force of this valuable report the rivers and harbors committee adopted the original scheme of sending the scientific data of an actual survey to a "reviewing" board of engineers. Those reviewers are compelled to admit that the 14-foot channel is sound as an engineering proposition, and that the estimate of cost is correct, but, assuming to be commercial prophets, say the prospective traffic would not warrant the outlay.

On this point the merchants, manufacturers and business men generally of the Mississippi valley are far better judges than any reviewing board of engineers the committee could organize to furnish it with such advice as will suit its predilections. The engineers whose long and thorough investigations were in favor of the 14-foot channel are among the most experienced connected with the government. And the reviewers, as engineers, agree with them, though going outside into the question of future commercial growth. As a matter of fact, the ruling spirits of the rivers and harbors committee are not afraid that the business on the 14-foot channel would be too little. They fear its greatness. One of the spokesmen of the committee says the tide of commerce has been running east and west so long that it is not advisable to disturb it. Such arguments are vain. Conditions of national growth assert themselves in spite of old tendencies and selfish interests. Already the tide has set toward the southwest, and it will run more and more strongly in the direction to which the Mississippi points the way. There are the isthmian canal, Mexico, Central America, the West Indies and South America. As part of the new world they are more attractive than an attempted jump across the Pacific to the crowded countries of eastern Asia.

An enormous traffic would spring up over the Mississippi if its channel were deepened to the 14 feet the national surveying engineers say can be constructed for what is comparatively a moderate sum. The Mississippi valley is the earth's greatest center of production and its present population is immense, reaching into more than half the states and territories, and forming the natural outlet of half the Canadian domain. Its business prospects are much too vast for the vision of a reviewing board anxious to adjust its views to the wishes of a committee with a powerful bias against any comprehensive river improvement. If the Mississippi valley gets anything from the house rivers and harbors committee as now constituted, a vigorous, determined fight is necessary, and one that will force conclusions.—Globe-Democrat.

THE JOKESMITH.

"What is the greatest danger encountered in running an automobile?" And without hesitation the chauffeur answered, "The police."—Washington Star.

Be careful or your New Year's resolution will spring a leak.

NEGRO TROOPER
FOR PHILIPPINESAre to be Enlisted at Local
Recruiting OfficeEight Regiments Are Under Orders
to Be on Duty There in Six
Months.

SERGEANT BLAKE REMAINS.

Instructions in the latest bulletin from the war department at Washington, to recruiting officers, direct the enlistment of sufficient negro troops to fill the vacancies caused by President Roosevelt's Brownsville order, dismissing three companies, and the natural vacancies occurring in the service. Sergeant Blake has received the bulletin at the local recruiting office and following instructions, will accept applications from negroes. It is required that all negro applicants be able to read and write with facility.

In this bulletin it is specified that all the enlistments will go to the Philippine islands for service. The order sending the three negro regiments to the Philippines, which caused much speculation, from their connection with the Brownsville incident, is cleared up somewhat, by a later order sending five white regiments with the three negro regiments to the Philippines. The bulletin directs the enlistment of men for these eight regiments and gives the recruiting officer authority to assign the men to the Philippine service. All recruits enlisted by Sergeant Blake from now on, until the regiments are filled out, will go direct to the Philippines.

The eight regiments ordered to the Philippine islands will start February 1, and are all expected to be in service there within six months. They are the 18th, 26th, 29th and 30th, white infantry regiments, and the 25th, negro infantry regiment. The 6th, white cavalry, and the 9th and 25th negro cavalry regiments complete the detachment.

The sending of eight regiments at one order to the Philippines with the troops already there is a matter of interest. It is known that General Wood has asked the war department for more troops but further than that no information has been given out. The order affords a fine opportunity for young men to get into interesting service right away without the necessity of camp life at an army post.

Sergeant Bolden showed such keen interest in the taking charge of the office while Sergeant Blake is in Cairo opening a new recruiting station, left this morning for Cairo to open the office himself, and Sergeant Blake has been relieved from the duty. Sergeant Bolden showed much aptitude here, that it was thought unnecessary to have Sergeant Blake open the office in Cairo.

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THE YEAR'S RECORD

(Continued from page one.)

have been destroyed here and 500 people are homeless.

Across the river in Spencer county, Ind., it is known that there are two dead people in one house whose bodies it has been impossible to secure. Sixty-six persons were rescued there yesterday, and the rescuers continue their work, 17 being taken from one house.

Damage at Hickman.

Hickman, Ky., Jan. 23.—The river storm sank the Golla Lee a gasoline launch, a launch owned by Dr. J. M. Hubbard. Besides sinking, the latter was snatched. The ferry owned by Capt. Lewis and used by all the people to cross back and forth from here to the Missouri shore, was destroyed.

Warning to Merchants.

Warning to merchants has been given by Superintendent Keebler, of the city lighting plant, against leaving goods in cellars. The water is at such a stage now that the pumps at the sanitary sewerage pumping station have to be run day and night, and in event they become defective the water will back up through the mains into cellars.

May Withstand Flood.

Louisville, Jan. 23.—Reports on the Pennsylvania bridge fill, west of the reformatory, are going on at a furious rate, and it is the opinion of those in charge of the work that the flood will be kept in check unless there is a future rise.

It is generally believed, however, that the fill cannot stand even another inch of water, and there is great apprehension lest the walls become weakened by the flood and give way.

If the decline should begin within the next few hours the fill will stand the pressure. If the river remains stationary for twelve hours, and the wind shifts from the north to the northwest, it is almost certain that the fill will give way.

SECRET CONFERENCE.

Of State's Witnesses to Appear
Against Harry Thaw.

New York, Jan. 23.—The principal witnesses for the state in the case of Harry K. Thaw, who went on trial today for the murder of Stanford White, had their final secret conference with the state attorney and his assistants today. Nearly all the witnesses expected to testify against Thaw have been reached by subpoena, and were on hand. They were taken to the conference rooms and each was questioned with the idea of learning just what testimony may be expected when the witness goes on the stand.

Thaw passed a quiet night in his cell and was up early in anticipation of a long siege with his attorney and the customary daily visits from his wife, mother and sisters.

Gems From "Success Magazine."
If you will be nothing, just wait to be somebody.

Poverty is the want of much, avarice the want of everything.
No tyranny of circumstances can permanently imprison a determined will.

Idleness travels very leisurely, and poverty soon overtakes her.

More men fall through ignorance of their strength than through knowledge of their weakness.

You may succeed when others do not believe in you, but never when you do not believe in yourself.

Man is not merely the architect of his own fortune, but he must also lay the bricks himself.

He alone is happy who has learned to extract happiness, not from ideal conditions, but from the actual ones about him.

Man was made for growth. Perpetual expansion is his normal condition. To have an ambition to grow larger and broader every day, to push the horizon of ignorance a little further away, to become a little richer in knowledge, a little wiser, and more of a man, that is an ambition worth while.

As a rule, he will be the most successful man who has himself best in hand, who is the best schoolmaster to himself, and who compels himself to the discipline and drill which will strengthen his deficiencies and eliminate his weaknesses the man who is the best teacher of himself.

Mayor McClellan refused to receive a letter from the attorney-general, with whom he has a difference over the recent matter. The letter was addressed: "Hon. George B. McClellan, at the Mayor's Office." Being the de facto mayor, he insists on being so addressed.

Congressman Burleigh, of Maine, is nominated for the United States senate by the Bangor News (Republican), but, as a recognition that Fry and Hale are in for life if they so desire, the nomination is not to take effect till one of the present incumbents dies or resigns.

Odd
Suit
Sale

We place on sale today
all of our odd suits and
overcoats where we have
only one or two of a kind

Odd
Overcoat
Sale

50c on the Dollar

While we haven't every size in every lot, yet we have enough kinds in every size to please any man or young man. Come in and pick out one according to the following scale of prices:

Overcoats and Suits that were \$7.50 are cut to.....	\$ 3.75
Overcoats and Suits that were \$10.00 are cut to.....	5.00
Overcoats and Suits that were \$12.50 are cut to.....	6.75
Overcoats and Suits that were \$15.00 are cut to.....	7.50
Overcoats and Suits that were \$18.50 are cut to.....	9.25
Overcoats and Suits that were \$20.00 are cut to.....	10.00

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"Sentence Day" in the Jail.

Meanwhile, sentence day, that momentous time, which all prisoners await with painful uncertainty, was drawing nigh. Trials, of course, were to come first, but practically every court prisoner knew that he had been caught "with the goods on," and that sentence day would claim him for his prey. My trial was soon over. My lawyer had "worked" very adroitly, and I received sentence immediately—the reform school until I had improved. I remember feeling very sheepish when I was taken back to the jail; such a sentence was meant for a baby, I thought, and what would the "old hands" think? They came to the door in a body when I was brought back, demanding in a chorus: "How much, kid?"

"A year," I answered, meaning of course, in the penitentiary, and faking an old-timer's smile and nonchalance. Later they were told the truth, and then began a course of instruction about "beating the rap," to which I paid very close attention.

A few days later the other trials were finished, and sentence day was definitely announced. The men to be sentenced put on their "heat" for the occasion, those having a surplus of neckties and shirts kindly sharing them with those who were short of these decorations. A hard fate stared them all in the face, and each one wanted, somehow, to help his neighbor. They were as nervous a collection of men while waiting for the sheriff, as one will find in a moon's travel. They all expected something, but the extent of this something, the severity which the "old man," the judge, would show them, was what made them fidgety. It was an entirely new scene to me, and I watched intently the countenance of each prisoner. My medicine had been received; I knew exactly what was ahead of me, and did not suffer the

NATURE AS A RECONSTRUCTOR.

"Nature repairs her ravages—repairs them with her sunshine and with human labor."

Osteopathy is one of Nature's most used instruments in repairing her ravages. Take the Osteopathic treatment of headaches. It locates the primary cause and removes it, not in administering a common known sedative to on- and all alike, but by a simple mechanical manipulation.

So, in digestive disorders Osteopathy restores the nervous equilibrium to the stomach, bowels, liver, pancreas, etc., and a unity of action established the disorders are readily controlled and cured.

Constipation can be cured only by observing nature's laws. The regular movements of the bowels depend on their nerve and blood supply. If one or the other is disturbed in any way there is disorder—sickness. Osteopathy here again is Nature's cure.

I should like to tell you personally at any time of the great success I am having with the treatment and refer you to some of your friends who will eagerly attest to what Osteopathy is doing or has done for them. Phone me at 1107 at any time.

DR. G. B. FROAGE,
518 Broadway.

THE UNFORTUNATES.

By Aloysius Coll.
The winds that cannot hear the harps they play
Are deaf Beethovens of the solitude;
The flowers that make us happy all the day,
These are the sightless Miltons of the wood!
February Smart Set.

Church—"Does your wife spend much of her time shopping?" Gotham
"She says not. She says she spends most of her time waiting for her change."—Yonkers Statesman.

CHEAP
LOW PRICED
SMALL HOMES

Near city, fertile, high, dry land, in best neighborhood; Have just platted into lots of about five acres each the 240 acre (Williams) tract, joining the Pines lands on west. Bounded next to city by Perkins Creek and Pines lands between, Buckner Lane Road and Hinkleville Gravel Road. Has 4133 feet frontage on Buckner Lane Road, said road just graded in front of this land. Has 757 feet front on Hinkleville Gravel Road, and plat gives 40 feet cross roads through the tract, so that each and every lot fronts either on these gravel roads or these newly opened roads. Most of the lots front at each end on these roads. No nicer land in McCracken county. The 20 acres front on Hinkleville road has nice grove of forest trees on it and lays so as to make ideal residence sites.

Price on the Hinkleville road front is \$100.00 per acre, of which \$10 acre cash and balance in monthly or quarterly payments running five years. All other lots \$65 acre on same terms. While these prices are uniform, there is difference in desirability of lots and first customers get choice. Come and see plat and list men who have taken dozen lots before I could get the parcels staked off. For home or investment lots you lose opportunity if you fail to take this. On one lot is new 5-room house which is priced at \$800 additional to cost of land at \$65 acre.

W. M. JANES
Trueheart Building
Old Phone 997-r

Rudy, Phillips & Co.

210-223 BROADWAY

Any Fur Coat in House \$25.00

One Half Off

Handsome Evening Dresses \$75 and \$100 Values, for \$25 and \$35

All of our Ladies' Coat Suits and Wool Coats, Children's Coats. This gives you quite an opportunity, considering that coldest weather is yet to come. When we say one-half off we mean half of their first price, which was itself remarkably low for the value which we offered you.

1-4 Off on all Fur Pieces. See our Wool Coats this week \$5.00.

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Department (Second Floor.)

LOCAL LINES.

—For Dr. Pendley ring 416.
—Drink Belvedere the master brow.
—Fine carnations at 50c a dozen at Brunson's, 529 Broadway.
—William D. Watson yesterday qualified as a notary public.
—Dr. Gilbert, Osteopath, 400 1-2 Broadway. Phone 196.
—When you order a rig from us you are talking to one of the proprietors or capable clerks (not a driver or hostler) who writes, class and fills the order at appointed time. Palmer Transfer Co.
—Subscriptions are now being taken for the 41st series of the Mechanics Building and Loan Assn. See F. M. Fisher for any information about the company.
—Chief of Police Collins has instructed Justice John Burnett to dispose of several dogs he keeps at his residence on North Fifth street. Two dogs' continued barking through the night keep the neighbors awake, and they complained to the authorities.
—City subscribers to the Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make their requests direct to The Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to our carriers. Sun Pub. Co.
—Drink Belvedere the Paducah beer.
—Sexton, the sign writer, all kinds of sign and advertising writing, fine painting of every character, inside work and carriage painting and repainting. Phone 401.
—Fine carnations at 50c a dozen at Brunson's, 529 Broadway.
—For high-grade wallpaper see Kelly & Umbaugh, 321 Kentucky Av.
—Belvedere beer is a home product. Remember that.
—Robert Simpson, 11 years old, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Simpson, of Lone Oak, caught his leg in a wheel yesterday while riding in a wagon, and his knee cap was wrenched. The injury was dressed by Dr. Johnston Bass and Dr. R. C. Gore, of Lone Oak.
—Dr. V. Blythe has moved from Fraternity building to 525 Broadway next to Register building. Office phones 870, residence 272.
—Upright pianos from \$150 to \$200, to reduce our stock of slightly used pianos we make these offers. W. T. Miller & Bro., 518 Broadway.
—Dr. J. V. Voris, dentist, 200 Fraternity building.
—Fine carnations at 50c a dozen at Brunson's, 529 Broadway.
—Place your orders for wedding invitations at home. The Sun shows as great an assortment as you find anywhere at prices much lower than you pay elsewhere.
—Photographs of criminals arrested and prosecuted here are desired by Chief of Police John J. Connor of St. Paul, Minn., for the rogues' gallery in that city. A letter was received yesterday afternoon by Chief of Police James Collins making the request.
—You know your calling cards are correct when they come from The Sun. Script cards and plate \$1.50 a hundred, the Old English \$3.
—If you want a 10 per cent investment, subscribe for some stock in the 41st series of the Mechanics Building and Loan Association, which is now open. See F. M. Fisher.
—Because of the inconvenience of the present arrangement it is probable that tomorrow the board of public works will change its meeting time to Tuesday afternoons.
—Globe Wernicke filling cases and supplies for them, also the best line of carbons. A full line of blank books and all kinds of office supplies. Telephone orders promptly filled. Old phone 436. R. D. Clements & Co.
—We have Slug Shot that will destroy all insects on plants; and Plant Food that will make plants grow. Danon, 529 Broadway.
—Fine carnations at 50c a dozen at Brunson's, 529 Broadway.
—Local Dr. Danell, a noted stenter and reader, will appear at

People and Pleasant Events

Well-Hart Nuptials.

The marriage of Miss Ruth Well and Mr. Edson Hart was solemnized yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wellie on Jefferson street. It was a beautiful wedding, characterized by the charm of simplicity, but witnessed by many friends of the popular young couple.

The handsome Wellie home was artistically decorated throughout in a profusion of southern smilax. In the parlor, palms and ferns were banded at the mantel, forming an effective background for the wedding ceremony. From the stairway to this altar, white ribbons were carried forming an aisle for the bride and groom, who were attended only by Miss Azilee Reeves, a niece of the bride. The ceremony was impressively pronounced by the Rev. W. E. Cave, D. D., of the First Presbyterian church, the flag being used. An orchestra stationed in the upper hall played the Mendelssohn wedding march as the couple descended the stairs, and "O Promise Me" through out the ceremony.

The bride, an exceedingly pretty and dainty girl, looked especially lovely in her beautiful wedding dress of white tulle and silk, heavily embroidered with lace and the bride veil. She wore a heart-shaped brooch of pearls and diamonds, and the groom's gift, a bracelet, set with diamonds. The bride's bouquet was a shower of bride roses and lilies-of-the-valley.

The maid of honor was very pretty in a girlish frock of white Paris muslin over green. She carried white carnations.

A delightful reception followed the ceremony. In the receiving party were: Mr. and Mrs. Edson Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Well, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wellie, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Reeves, Mrs. Henry Well, Mrs. Thomas C. Leech, Mrs. Louis Rieke, Mrs. Harris Rankin, Mrs. Charles Thompson, Mrs. Alonzo R. Meyers, Mrs. Vernon Blythe, Mrs. Marianna Mayes, of Mayfield; Miss Virginia Kinney, of New York; Miss Anne Rhea, of Nashville; Miss Faith Langstaff, Miss Elizabeth Sinnott, Miss Kathleen Whitefield, Miss Azilee Reeves, Miss Marie Wellie.

Many handsome reception toilettes added to the beauty of the scene. The dining room was a charming effect in green and white. The table was a handsomely set affair with the center-piece a pretty arrangement of white carnations and ferns. Love chains of smilax extended from the center to the four corners of the table. A delicious course luncheon was served, in the white and green motif.

The bridal gifts of the couple made a handsome display.

The bride's bouquet was caught by Miss Elizabeth Sinnott.

Mr. and Mrs. Hart left at 6 o'clock for a southern wedding trip that will include a stay in Florida. The bride's traveling suit was a stylish tailored costume of blue. On returning they will be for the winter at the Hart home on Jefferson street.

Hollins-Schwartz.

St. Louis papers publish the marriage of Mr. Harry C. Hollins, of Paducah, to Miss Barbara Schwartz, of Normanda, Mo., January 16. Mr. Hollins is a well known young business man of this city. He deals in real estate and insurance, and has been here two years, coming from Guthrie. He is popular and his friends here were surprised to learn of his marriage. Miss Schwartz is a popular young lady of Normanda, Mo. It is presumed they will return to Paducah in a few days to reside.

Ball Last Evening.

The hall given by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers last night at the Hotel Craig, was a most successful affair, and an enjoyable occasion. Several hundred guests were in attendance.

Afternoon Card Party.

Mrs. Lawrence Dallam is entertaining very delightfully at cards this afternoon at her home on Fountain avenue.

Matinee Musical Club.

The Matinee Musical club is meeting this afternoon at the parish house of Grace Episcopal church. A Verdi and Scarlatti program is being given.

Musical Evening.

The Church Furnishing society of the First Christian church will give a musical and literary entertainment on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bondurant on South Sixth street. An attractive program has been arranged.

For Sweet Charity.

The Charity club will have its Approa Bazaar on Saturday at the new Illinois Central ticket office in the Palmer block. Bazaar aprons both fancy and useful, three

will be home-made candy of many varieties.

Cottillon Club.

The Cottillon club will entertain this evening with a dance at the Palmer House. It will be a german without favors.

Entre Nous Club.

Miss Hetta Hestfield will entertain the Entre Nous club on Friday afternoon at her home on North Seventh street.

Tacky Party En Masque.

There was an enjoyable masquerade tacky party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Gott on West Trimble street last evening. The costumes were very unique and a delightful evening was spent.

Those present were: Misses Daisy Bryan, Myrtle Hoyer, Jessie Gott, Stella Ross, Ruth McCool, Emma Smotherman, Willie Humphrey, Pauline Hank, Hallie Ross, Clara Rhodes Bessie Lou Watts, Ruth Gott, Blanche Peck, Mesdames Arthur Watts, M. C. Lynch, Smotherman, Peck, Pearl Dassing, Messrs. M. C. Lynch, R. F. Johnston, Earl Johnston, Arch Householder, W. T. Stroub, Rupert Robertson, Charles Sanders, Mack Brogan, Earl Smotherman, Walter Sanders, Arthur Watts, Will Porter.

C. M. Riker, local manager of the West Kentucky Coal company, returned yesterday from East Orange, New Jersey where he has been attending the bedside of his father.

Mrs. Hunter Hough, of Dexter, Mo., has returned home after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Wright. She was accompanied as far as Cairo by her sister, Miss Edna Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dawes have gone to St. Louis to attend the bedside of their son, Bernice, who is ill. Miss Belle Lockett, of Henderson, will arrive next Monday to visit Miss Martha Davis.

The Rev. D. W. Fowles has returned from Fulton.

Mrs. Mae O'Brien, of Galveston, Tex., is visiting her uncle, Mr. Henry E. Thompson, of South Sixth street, en route to New York.

Mr. James Scott has gone to Hot Springs, Ark.

Mr. J. J. Legate, of Farmington, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Lander Roark.

Mr. Andrew C. Clark is in Earlington, Ky., visiting his mother.

Miss Maxie Whitfield, of Fulton, is the guest of Miss Sylvia Callist.

Mr. John R. Dye is ill of pneumonia at his home in Mechanicsburg.

Mr. Henry Jennings has returned to his home in Louisville, after visiting Mr. Louis Peter, of South Fifth street.

Mr. Jamie Paxton is visiting in Clarksville, Tenn.

Mr. Pat Halloran, of Cedar Bluff, returned this morning after a short business trip to the city.

Mr. L. P. Holland, of the Ayer-Lord Tea company, went to Edyville this morning on business.

Sheriff Will Hall, his deputy and two prison rs. of Ballard county, left this morning at 7:45 o'clock for Edyville.

Mr. D. J. Morrison, who has been in Paducah several months in connection with the Columbia Improvement company which repaired streets torn up by the Paducah Traction company, returned to Boston this morning.

Mr. J. V. Cullinane of the Paducah Traction company went to Louisville on business today.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Kreutzer of 417 South Fourth street are the parents of a new girl baby.

Mr. C. M. Lassiter, of Sixteenth and Madison streets is sick.

John Sinnott, Jr., is able to be out after a confinement of two weeks with an injured eye.

Major J. H. Ashcraft has recovered from injuries in a fall.

Mrs. Joseph A. Miller went to Wickliffe to visit Mrs. John B. Wickliffe.

Mrs. Lella Wade Lewis has gone to Mayfield to visit. She will sing at the concert Thursday evening for the benefit of the Christian church at Mayfield.

Mrs. Edward Toof has gone to St. Louis to join Mr. Toof.

Mrs. William Ragan, of Columbia, Tenn., has gone home after visiting Mrs. L. B. Ragan, of Trimble street. Miss Ethel Scopes has returned from visiting her sister, Mrs. Fannie Price, at Fulton.

Mrs. James Nagel is visiting Mrs. T. J. Lowe, her mother, at Mayfield. Mrs. Ola Hardison is in Mayfield visiting her sister, Mrs. F. E. Webb.

Mr. C. M. Budd and wife returned to Memphis last evening after spending a week here.

A. R. Harton and family, of Harrison street, have returned home from a visit to relatives in Russellville. Miss Anita Wood, of Wichita, Kas., arrived today and is the guest of Miss Ethel Brooks on North Seventh street.

Mr. A. M. Rose is out after a month's illness, the result of an operation.

Messrs Johnnie and Gola Jones, of Kuttawa, are visiting their brother, Mr. Gny Jones.

IN THE COURTS

Circuit Court.

G. W. Bass was excused as a petit juror and F. M. Matlock substituted. American-German National bank against E. and John G. Rehkopf, bankruptcy of E. Rehkopf suggested and case continued.

E. E. Jackson against Postal Telegraph and Cable company, plaintiff moved for a new trial.

C. E. Greenlee against Bert Gholson, plaintiff moved for a continuance.

This afternoon the case of A. J. Atchison against J. D. McElwee is on trial. The plaintiff sues for \$10,000 damages for alleged slander, alleging the defendant called him a liar and a thief. They reside in this county.

Court of Appeals.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 23.— Cecil Reed, of Paducah, sworn as an attorney of this court.

Allison's executor vs. Fidelity Mutual Life Insurance company. McCracken; argued by D. G. Park for appellant and Cecil Reed for appellee; submitted.

Police Court.

Rosa West and Lula Rice, colored, denizens of 909 Washington street, who were presented in police court, quarreled last night. Rosa, pulling out a razor made for the open air. Lula locked the doors. Rosa was fined \$20 and Lula \$5.

The case against the Hitterback Advertising agency because its billboards project on the sidewalk at Fourth street and Broadway was by agreement continued until Saturday.

Other cases: Jonas and Harry Smith, colored, malicious cutting, continued; Will Kramer, for knocking John Wright into the river, \$10.

Deeds Filed.

J. M. McCandless to Kentucky Realty company, property in the Taylor-Moquet addition, \$1 and other considerations.

H. W. Rottgering to Caroline Louise J. Rottgering, property on North Twelfth street near the Cairo road, \$1 and other considerations.

W. B. Padgett to Mary Padgett, property in the Jarrett addition, \$1 and other considerations.

E. B. Wren and wife to J. B. Bishop, property in the county, \$2,700.

Minnie Jackson, et al., to Nellie B. Champion, property in the county, \$900.

Lexington Banking and Trust company, administrator with will annexed of H. H. Wisdom, to George C. Wallace power of attorney.

Petition in Bankruptcy.

Elwood P. Baker, doing business under the firm name of Fulton Fish & Oyster company, filed a petition in bankruptcy this afternoon with liabilities at \$120 and no assets. He was in business in South Fulton on the Tennessee side.

GLASS PLANT ALMOST ASSURED.

All but \$1,200 of the Bonus Fund is subscribed and Deal is on.

All but \$1,200 of the glass plant bonus was subscribed this morning and the Commercial club committee is now almost assured of the \$15,000 required to secure the location of the factory here. It will be two or three days more before the committee can announce the books closed, but the manner in which citizens are responding encourages them.

Mr. Harry Finlay, the owner, will secure a site and build a factory.

Kidney Trail in a King.

(Cleveland Leader.) King Edward starts many fashions. He has been doing it all his life. Usually his ideas are sartorial. Occasionally though, King Edward strikes out an idea which all the world, fashionable or commonplace, can approve. His latest is one of great humanity.

No horse is ever sold from the royal stables after it has outlived its usefulness. It is put to death painlessly. This is a source of much financial loss to the king, always hard up, for England is crowded with tuff-hunters who would pay exorbitant prices for his old horses just to brag about them.

Interesting Lecture.

The Rev. G. W. Banks will lecture tonight at the Trimble Street Methodist church on the subject "Through Palestine on Horseback." Dr. Banks is well acquainted with his subject and his address will be interesting.

To Our Patrons.

We respectfully call your attention to the change in the opening of our performances, from 8:30 to 8:15 o'clock every evening.

The Kentucky.

F. SCHAEFFER, Mgrs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McCabe, of 107 North Seventh street are the parents of a new boy baby.

Unless a man knows when he has enough, he's apt to get too much.

HENS WILL LAY

If in Good Condition

Horses Will Pull

If feeling good.

Cows Will Pay

If fed properly

Hogs Will Fatten

If treated right

Hart has the right remedies for Hens, Horses, Cows and Hogs. It makes them all do their level best for U. Try it. It's cheap but good.

GEO. O. HART & SONS CO

TIPS.

No matter how much you read, if you do not read—and, sometimes, answer—classified advertisements you are not an accountant with the complete life of the city, nor able to understand its minor activities.

Carlyle said: "A word spoken in season, at the right moment, is the mother of ages!" According to this definition, if you will read the advertisements today you will find a whole lot of "mothers of ages!"

WANTED—100 girls at once. Mergenthaler-Horton Basket Co.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping at \$10 per month. Old phone 2255.

WANTED—Position in office by young lady. "S," Sun office.

HOUSE—For rent. Apply 1218 Clay.

WANTED—A good washerwoman. Apply 417 North Fourth.

WANTED—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Old phone 1749.

CLOTHES cleaned and repaired. Jas. Duffy, Phone 956-a.

OVERSTREET, the palmer, New phone 1025, old phone 975.

FOR RENT—Elegant flats, Seventh and Broadway. Apply to B. H. Scott.

WILLIAMS Furniture exchange, 533 South Third. Furniture bought and sold. New phone 900-a.

WANTED—A position by young man of ability to do office work and bookkeeping. Address M. E., Sun.

COTTAGE for rent. Centrally located. Apply at 441 South Sixth street.

FOR SALE—Three mares, one wagon, one buggy. Apply to J. C. Walker, 1148 Broadway.

PIANO and household furniture for sale at reasonable prices. Apply 1722 Madison.

FOR RENT—Four-room cottage, 311 Tennessee, also shop Second and Tennessee. Phone 222.

FOR RENT—Office on Legal Row. Frank F. Davis, at Paducah Traction company.

SEND your clothes to the Fanless Pressing club, 302½ Broadway. Drake & Browder, proprietors. Both phones 1507.

LOST—A black and gold shield sorority pin, set with pearls and turquoise. Return to The Sun office for reward.

I WISH to announce to the ladies that I have moved my dressmaking parlors from 615 Jefferson to 219 North Sixth. Miss Eva Nutt, Modiste.

LARGE HEAVY draft horse and wagon for sale. Will trade for real estate improved or unimproved. Address P. O. Box 553.

LOST—Yoke and sleeve for child's dress at Ninth and Monroe. Return to 227 North Ninth and receive reward.

LOST—A twisted, gold chain necklace with a small heart attached. Somewhere on Ninth or Tennessee streets. Return to 1216 Tennessee for reward.

From boyhood Dr. Nansen, the polar explorer, accustomed himself to the use of snowshoes and would often go forty or fifty miles on them without taking any food with him. He had a great dislike to any outfit for his excursions.

WANTED—Industrious young man for bookkeeper, stenographer and office work. Must write good hand and have good habits. Address X., this office.

THE PARTY who carried a lady's fur neck piece from the Broadway Methodist church last night, through mistake, will confer a favor by leaving same at this office.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. We are ready to take care of all dead animals such as cows, horses, mules, hogs and dogs. Our wagon will call and get them without cost. Telephone 1859, Gent & Elliott.

ALDERMEN MAY NOT MEET.

Alderman E. D. Hannan is Not So Well Today.

On account of the illness of Alderman E. D. Hannan, it is probable that there will be no quorum at the meeting of the board of aldermen tomorrow night. Alderman Hannan is the Democratic candidate for president. It was thought he would be well enough to attend, but this morning the indications were that he is in for a prolonged confinement in the house.

Salt Mined Without Human Effort.

Thirteen hundred barrels every twenty-four hours of fine salt—mined, purified and crystallized, packed ready for the table, without the touch of a hand or the lifting of an arm—this is the latest achievement in salt-making, the final round in reduced cost of production, says James Cook Mills in Technical World Magazine for January.

The three factors that permit this economy of production are solid, reinforced concrete; waste exhaust steam; and automatic machinery.

The rock salt is mined and brought to the surface in the form of brine, through wells nearly 800 feet deep.

This brine is pumped into a tank and filtered and run into settling tanks. From there it is drawn off into "grainers," where the salt crystallizes. These grainers are made of solid concrete and are much better than the old wooden tanks.

Steam exhaust pipes pass through the grainers, which heat the brine to such a temperature that crystallization begins. This is a most interesting action.

Watching the steaming surface of the brine, a pellicle of salt forms, which soon breaks and sinks down, to be followed by another, and the crystallization then proceeds rapidly.

It is this extreme rapidity of crystallization in the concrete grainers that has astonished the oldest salt-makers and made glad the directors of the Plate Glass Company.

"No such fast salt-making was ever known before," said salt-maker Mason. "It beats all, how the crystals form or the bottom and sides of the grainer. I never saw anything like it, and I have been making salt—and good salt too—for twenty-five years."

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Dandelion

The liver is a wonderful organ, always at work filtering, purifying and manufacturing ingredients necessary to life. It is the central laboratory of the body. It plays the part of a natural poison antidote. The poison contained in the decomposing food and waste of the body are arrested by it and rendered harmless. The liver is the seat of manufacture of bile, a fluid that keeps sweet the intestine and aids to digest food. Healthy bile is an antiseptic and when deficient or absent the contents of the bowels become putrid and full of poisonous matter. You can always keep your liver in a healthy condition by using Dr. Edwards' Comp. Dandelion Tablets or Pills. They act directly upon the liver and produce a healthy flow of bile.

BOTH TABLETS AND PILLS SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS. PRICE 25c. Trial package at W. B. McPherson, Druggist, Sales Agents I. A. & D. Co., Wellsboro, N. Y.

W. B. McPHERSON, Druggist

The Baroness and Queen. The late Baroness Burdett-Coutts and Queen Victoria were great friends but it is said that the queen was much incensed when the baroness, over 60 years old, married a young man. The baroness wrote to the queen announcing her engagement, and signed herself "with loyal respect." The queen's unsympathetic reply began: "You foolish old woman." But the baroness did not lack spirit, and she retorted at the first opportunity. Victoria addressed a letter to the baroness and said, "I'll, when she received her at Buckingham Palace afterward: "You never answered my letter. Did you receive it?" "Yes," replied the baroness. "I did not answer the letter because I knew that, although it was in your majesty's handwriting, it was John Brown's idea."

No chance for disappointment if you serve Mrs. Austin's Pancakes. All grocers sell it.

He who knows how to live knows when to die.



The Best Carriage Service in Paducah

You get handsome, well appointed carriages when I serve you. We give prompt personal attention at all times.

HARRY ANDERSON, PHONE 915

Removal Sale of A. Pollock's Jewelry Store

About February 15th we will take possession of our new store room—now occupied by the Great Pacific Tea and Coffee Co., 333 Broadway. In the meantime we have made startling reductions on our entire line of Watches, Diamonds and Jewelry. This for two reasons: First, we wish to move as little as possible of the present and, when we get into our new location, we mean to have a clean, new stock. If you need anything in our line give us a call, for we have made a cut of 50 per cent in many instances.

A. POLLOCK
640 Broadway. Empire Building



LADIES' DIAMOND BRAND DRESS SHOE

The air of exclusiveness—that distinctive touch so much desired—in our Diamond Brand dress shoes, is not there by accident.

Diamond Brand styles are designed by an officer of this Company, who has won his spurs as a master of footwear construction.

Moreover, Diamond Brand Dress Shoes are made by the best paid shoe-workmen, of the highest grade leathers. They fit faultlessly, snug up under the arch beautifully, and hold their shape.

Peters Shoe Co. DIAMOND BRAND SHOEMAKERS St. Louis
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Elephants and Camels Stagger Through Snow for Distance of Three Miles.

Peru, Ind., Jan. 23.—Thirty-one circus beasts on a wild jag, rushing through the streets, was a sight witnessed by the people of Peru today. Hagenback's shows which have been merged with the Wallace shows, arrived here on the Wabash road this morning from Mexico, to go into winter quarters. Among the animals were 21 elephants and 16 camels. The beasts shivered when they saw the snow and felt the chilly atmosphere. Four inches of slush covered the ground and the air was raw and damp.

Fearing the animals might catch cold, a barrel and a half of whisky was mixed with bran and this given the big animals. When the elephants and camels stepped out of the cars into the snow they became very noisy, trumpeting and bawling with great vigor. Five hundred people who were watching them fell back, fearing the animals would break away from their keepers. The big beasts were hurried through the town and to the winter quarters, a distance of three miles. Many staggered on the way and threw snow in every direction, but they were landed at the winter quarters in safety. It was a novel spectacle to see the elephants and camels acting as if they didn't care a straw "whether school kept or not."

This afternoon they appeared to be none the worse for their jag.

FREE SPEECH LIMITED.

Police May Stop Political Meetings in Germany.

Berlin, Jan. 22.—Political excitement is at fever heat throughout Germany, owing to the close of the campaign Thursday night and the election to be held Friday. There is only limited freedom of speech in Germany and 48 hours notice must be given the police before a meeting may be held. Police may prohibit all meetings. Statistics published today show 26 Socialistic gatherings prohibited.

Long Live the King!

Is the popular cry throughout European countries; while in America, the cry of the present day is "Long live Dr. King's New Discovery, King of Throat and Lung Remedies!" of which Mrs. Julia Ryder Paine, Truro, Mass., says: "It never fails to give immediate relief and to quickly cure a cough or cold." Mrs. Paine's opinion is shared by a majority of the inhabitants of this country. New Discovery cures weak lungs and sore throats after all other remedies have failed; and for coughs and colds it's the only sure cure. Guaranteed by all druggists. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

HOW MANY DID JONES BUY?

The once universal and hair-pulling problem of "How old is Ann?" is now an ancient number in more ways than one. The late egg-trading venture of Jones and Jenks has already upset the nerves of the easy-going Californians, and it is now stretching across the continent. A California newspaper is responsible for the story of Jones making the famous egg deal. "Don't forget to drop in at the corner grocery and order some eggs sent up to the house right away," exclaimed Mrs. Jones as her husband was leaving the house. "You know the Smiths are coming over for dinner and I must make a cake."

"All right," said Jones and, mindful of his promise, he stepped into the grocery.

"Hello," said Jenks, the grocer. Don't often see you. What can I do for you today?

"How much are your best eggs?" asked Jones.

"Well," said Jenks, "two more than I am now selling for twenty-four cents would make them two cents a dozen less than they now are."

"All right," said Jones. "Send twenty-four cents' worth over to the house right away. My wife is waiting for them."

How many eggs did he buy? After he reached the office he started to figure it out, and before he got through he was nearly crazy. He then gave the problem to his bookkeeper, who also came to grief over it.

A Wonderful Happening.

Port Byron, N. Y., has witnessed one of the most remarkable cases of healing ever recorded. Amos F. King, of that place says: "Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured a sore on my leg with which I had suffered over 80 years. I am now eighty-five." Guaranteed to cure all sores, by all druggists, 25c.

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Mix half ounce of the Pure Virgin Oil of Pine with two ounces of glycerine and half a pint of good whisky; shake well and use in teaspoonful doses. A famous throat and lung specialist who established a camp for consumptives in the pine woods of Maine, and whose remarkable cures there have attracted great attention from the medical world, declares that the above formula will heal the lungs and cure any cough that is curable. It will break up a cold in twenty-four hours. The ingredients can be secured from any good prescription druggist at small cost.

Inquiry at the prescription department of a leading pharmacy elicited the information that the Pure Virgin Oil of Pine is put up only in half-ounce vials for dispensing; each vial is securely sealed in a round wooden case with engraved wrapper, showing the name—Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure)—plainly printed thereon. There are many rank imitations of Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure), which are put out under various names, such as Concentrated Oil of Pine Pine Balsam, etc. Never accept these as a substitute for the Pure Virgin Oil of Pine as they will invariably produce nausea and never effect the desired result.

Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure) is also said to be a perfect neutralizing agent for uric acid.

Crossing Accidents Impossible.

Chicago is having 1,600 miles of steam railway tracks elevated without cost to herself, says Rutledge Rutherford in Technical World Magazine for January.

How did Chicago do the work without paying any of the expense of construction? How did the city force public service corporations to get their conduits, mains, pipes, wires, street car tracks, and other obstructions out of the way, without paying enormous sums for impairment of private property?

All such questions elicit the reply that it is done merely by the general police power delegated to the city by the State. Under this police power, Chicago can force every railroad operating in the city to take every one of its tracks off the city's streets, if such should be found necessary for the city's improvement, without paying the railroads any compensation. This is likewise true of Philadelphia, though that city is paying many million dollars to have some of the railroads elevate their tracks. It is true of St. Louis which is now contemplating track elevation. And it is true of every other city worthy of the name of city in America. By similar law other cities, like Chicago, can compel the removal of any conduits or other obstructions without paying any damages, providing such be necessary for the cities' improvement.

An arbitrary law is this police power, and its extent has been most forcibly emphasized during the progress of track elevation in Chicago. For there were many corporations who were angered and felt outraged at being disturbed and at being forced to undergo great expense for the benefit of the city, and they had recourse to the courts. But the city won in every instance; and in no case has any single public service corporation been able to collect one dollar damages resulting from track elevation. About half of the work is now completed.

The Charming Woman.

is not necessarily one of perfect form and features. Many a plain woman who could never serve as an artist's model, possesses those rare qualities that all the world admires; neatness, clear eyes, clean, smooth skin and that sprightliness of step and action that accompany good health. A physically weak woman is never attractive, not even to herself. Electric Bitters restore weak women; give strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, beautiful complexion. Guaranteed at all druggists, 50c.

Monstour—It is a remarkable fact that the biggest fools marry the prettiest women.

Madame (smiling)—Oh, you flatterer!—Translated for Transatlantic Tales from Los Angeles.

No one has ever fully forgiven a sinner, unless he has the old faith in the one forgiven.—Florida Times-Union.

TWO CENT FARE

IN OKLAHOMA WITH STRINGS TO IT IS ADOPTED.

Railroad Commission May Excuse Company From Operations on Sufficient Proof.

Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 23.—Unexpectedly strong opposition was developed among the Democratic leaders in the constitutional convention today to the 2-cent passenger fare proposition and Chairman Robert L. Williams of the standing railroad committee was forced to suffer defeat on this, one of his pet provisions for the constitution.

After an entire day was consumed in discussion, the following substitute, offered by Ledbetter, of Ardmore, was adopted as a constitutional provision:

No person, company or corporation, receiver or other agency, operating a railroad other than a street railroad or electric railroad, in whole or in part within this state, shall demand or receive for first-class transportation for each passenger between points within the state on the portion of its road operated within the state more than 2 cents per mile until otherwise provided by law; provided, however the railroad commission shall have power to exempt any railroad from the operation of this section upon satisfactory proof that it can not earn a reasonable income upon the money actually invested therein if not permitted to charge more than 2 cents per mile for the transportation of passengers within the state.

EXPULSED AGED INDIAN AS WIZARD

Tribe Forces Centenarian and Family to Move Out of Village.

San Bernardino, Cal., Jan. 23.—Captain Perfecto Segundo, of Los Coyote Indian village, situated in the extreme eastern section of San Diego county, and his aged father, both stone blind, together with the captain's wife driven from their home by the other Indians, who charged the elder with being an evil spirit, have just completed a narrowing journey by wagon to this section. The father, 105 years old, was taken from the wagon in a dying condition by friends at Caubilla, and the captain's wife succumbed to illness at Arlington.

It appears that the closing in of winter found the Coyote village in prosperous condition, crops having been good, and the early rains assuring forage for the horses and cattle. Then the heavy storms came, bringing deep snows and freezing weather, which were followed by widespread sickness. To the aged father of the captain suspicion was directed as a wizard the blindness of two sons being evidence.

The Segundos were ordered to leave the village. They appealed to Superintendent Thomas Games, of Santa Isabel who has charge of the reservation. He warned the Indians against molesting Captain Segundo and his family, threatening governmental punishment, but the agent had barely left when the Indians, led by "Judge" Lorigas Seeba, dragged the two blind old men and the woman from their cabin, bundled them into a wagon, and ordered the woman to drive on and told them that if they ever returned death would be their fate.

For eight days the homeless fugitives urged their team through the storm-washed roads, facing blizzard and rainstorm, and at times almost freezing. Hunger haunted their every step, and only by the squaw being able to get a daily supply of edible roots were they kept alive. Then the century-old father gave way under the strain and was taken care of by friendly Indians at Caubilla.

Captain Segundo came here to appeal to Attorney John Brown, Jr., for assistance, and will go to Los Angeles with letters to friends of the Indians in that city.

A Memorable Day.

One of the days we remember with pleasure, as well as with profit to our health, is the one on which we became acquainted with Dr. King's New Life Pills, and painless purifiers that cure headache and biliousness, and keep the bowels right. 25c. at all drug stores.

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He Was Cured.

A certain clergyman in Richmond has had in his employ for so long a time a negro named Julian that the latter has become to regard himself as something of a confidential adviser to the divine.

Early one Sunday morning the pastor awoke feeling decidedly ill. After a futile attempt at breakfast, he summoned his old and faithful servant, saying:

"Julian, I want you to go to my assistant, Mr. Blank, and tell him that, as I am unwell, he will officiate for me in this morning's service."

At this Julian demurred, and, after some argument, persuaded his master that he would feel better if he officiated as usual. This the latter did and, as predicted by the darky, he did return home feeling much better.

"You're better, huh?" asked the servant, meeting his master at the door.

"Very much better, thank you, Julian."

The darky grinned. "What did I tell you, huh? I knowed you'd be all right just as soon as you got that sermon outter your system."

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By
DR. M. STEINFELD



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The fogging system is not used by any one else in or near Paducah, and can not be used except in a room equipped for the purpose. The cards



used must be at a certain distance from the eyes examined, surrounded completely by black and lit by strong lights, while the patient sits in semi-darkness.

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When you buy glasses you should have them fitted right and by some one in whose ability you have confidence. You should take advantage of my free examinations to find out whether you really need glasses. If you do not I will tell you so, and if you do, I am properly equipped for the work and my prices are right.

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SOCIALISTS AHEAD IN RUSSIA.

Cast Large Proportion of Ballots for Representatives in Parliament.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 23.—The second day of the casting of ballots for representatives in the new parliament in this territory districts has resulted in a continued socialist success. The conservative vote barely 2 per cent, and the constitutional Democratic is 1 per cent of the total vote. The elections in the Kirghiz territory have been carried by the progressist candidates.

1,500 LIVES LOST.

As Result of the Tidal Wave in the Dutch East Indies.

The Hague, Jan. 23.—The tidal wave which devastated some of the Dutch East Indian islands south of Acheh, as announced January 11, practically engulfed the island of Simulu. According to the latest information received here, Simulu has almost disappeared. It is said that probably 1,500 persons lost their lives. Violent earthquakes continue to be felt daily. The civil governor of Acheh has gone to the scene of the catastrophe.

Keystone Guard Organization.

On Thursday night, January 21, the Keystone Guard, a fraternal, co-operative club and accident benefit order, will organize a local guard. Mr. J. W. Bauman, the supreme president of the order, will be present and will address an open meeting before the organization ceremonies are taken up with the charter members. The public, ladies and gentlemen, are cordially invited to be present to hear the address of the president. The meeting will be at the Red Men's hall on North Fourth street over Foreman Bros. Novelty company.

Captain's Opinion.

Philadelphia, Jan. 23.—A swirling whirlpool marks the center of the earthquake near San Salvador, according to the captain of the steamship "Bela," which arrived from Kingston. The captain says in his opinion the bottom of the sea gave away and the water down into the bowels of the earth.

BAILEY

RE-ELECTED UNITED STATES SENATOR FOR TEXAS.

Hot Fight Put Up Against Him But He Carries Both Branches of Legislature.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 23.—Senator Joseph W. Bailey was today re-elected senator from this state in joint session of the legislature by a vote of 108 to 45, in the senate. The vote was 19 in favor of Bailey and 10 against; in the lower house Bailey received 89 votes while 35 were cast against him.

4 BOYS HURT PLAYING WAR

Set Fire to Powder and Explosion Damages Fort Russell, Wyo.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Jan. 23.—Three boys playing war in the basement of the new Infantry barracks at Fort Russell, near this city, set fire to a quantity of powder and an explosion occurred which damaged the barracks to the extent of about \$15,000 and seriously injured the boys. One of the boys, a son of the port plumber, named MacDonald, is expected to die. The others are a son of Captain Alexander, of the Eleventh Infantry, now in Cuba, and a son of Sergeant Gray of the Eleventh Infantry.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Palmer: H. H. Levy, New York; J. E. Klein, Chicago; W. B. Moore, Cincinnati; F. W. Tinker, St. Louis; W. S. Faber, New York; R. T. Metcalfe, Princeton; John Byer, South Bend, Ind.; E. L. Robinson, Louisville; H. M. Finley, Muncie, Ind.; V. E. Perley, East Orange, N. J.; Al Klingman, Madisonville; J. C. Turberville, Jr., Martin, Tenn.; J. J. Belker, Henderson; W. C. Prieem, Cairo, Ill. Belvedere: E. Murphy, Louisville; Lon Edwards, Enfield, Ala.; R. L. Gump, Kansas City; J. H. Atchison, Nashville; L. H. McConnell, St. Louis; Z. Warwood, St. Louis; James Boren, Atlanta; H. Simond, St. Louis.

New Richmond: J. F. Palmer, Hopkinsville; T. L. Shelton, Murray; J. I. Myles, Mayfield; G. W. Compton, St. Louis; C. T. Harris, Salem; H. Nelson, Bluff Point, Mo.; W. N. Hardin, Riverton, Ala.; I. Stevens, Mayfield; L. Jones, Big Sandy, Tenn.; J. N. Bushart, Paris, Tenn.; W. M. Haynes, La Center; J. W. Dyeus, Odessa, Texas; C. A. Hopper, Cape Girardeau, Mo.

KILLS MOTHER OF SWEETHEART

Flint, Mich., Man Then Blows Out His Own Brains.

Flint, Mich., Jan. 23.—Frank Green today entered the home of Mrs. Thomas Bradwood, shot and killed the woman, wounded her son George, aged 19, and then sent a bullet into his brain with fatal effect. Green was enamored of the 18-year-old daughter of Mrs. Bradwood, who had gained his enmity by interfering in his attentions to the girl. Green formerly boarded with the Bradwoods, but left about six weeks ago. Mrs. Bradwood was 38 years old.

PARKERSBURG DRY AND WET.

Flood Inundates Water Works and Breaks Pumps.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Jan. 23.—This city is without water for domestic use, caused by the breaking of a large pump at the water works this morning. Smaller pumps were put out of commission by the flood several days ago. People are hauling hand carrying water from wells and other places. It probably will be several days before the city is supplied with water.

Partner of Rhodes Killed.

New York, Jan. 23.—William C. Ashwell, of the stock exchange firm of Ashwell & company, was struck by a street car in Columbus avenue today and so severely injured that he died a few hours later. Mr. Ashwell was 50 years old. He was one of the early partners of the late Cecil Rhodes in the diamond fields of South Africa.

Car Barn Burned.

Huntington, W. Va., Jan. 23.—Car barns of the Camden Interstate Railroad company were burned here this morning. Twenty of the company's largest cars were consumed. The loss is estimated at \$15,000. The car barns were surrounded by water and with great difficulty the fire department reached the scene.

Sanganon on Rampage.

Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 23.—The Sanganon river is rising rapidly and many families at Petersburg have been driven from their homes. Railroad traffic between Petersburg and Springfield has been suspended. The river is at the highest point ever recorded in winter and is still rising.



Miss Ida Lela and Company at The Kentucky tonight.

DEATHS OF A DAY

J. S. Bingham's Infant.
Floyd the 16-month-old infant of J. S. Bingham, died at 521 South Tenth st. at this morning of a complication of diseases. The body was taken to Duane, Ky. for burial.

Ruth Thomas.
Ruth Thomas, 5 years old, daughter of Mr. Ben H. Thomas, of 508 North Sixteenth street, died this morning of diphtheria. The funeral will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence. The burial will be in Oak Grove cemetery. The Rev. Calvin Thompson will conduct the services.

Pat Rogers' Funeral.
The funeral of Mr. Pat Rogers, who died Monday of stomach trouble was held at 9 o'clock this morning from the St. Francis de Sales church. The burial was in Mt. Carmel cemetery. His father and one brother from Chicago attended the burial.

PADUCAH COMMANDERY.

Complimented By Inspecting Officer Last Night.

Paducah Commandery No. 11, Knights Templar, stands a good chance of receiving the medal for the best drilling and accomplishments at the annual state meeting of the lodge at Mayersville next May. After the official inspection last evening by Captain John Cowles he complimented the knights on their work and said he thought they had the hand some uniforms in the state, not excepting Louisville. The inspection began at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon and after a fine luncheon given to the members by the ladies of the Eastern Star, at 6:30 o'clock, the inspection was resumed and finished late in the evening.

MORGAN'S BILL APPROVED

Places Panama Railroad Under Control of Isthmian Commission.

Washington, Jan. 23.—The senate committee on inter-oceanic canals today authorized a favorable report on Senator Morgan's bill abolishing the organization of the Panama railroad, and placing the railroad under the absolute control of the Isthmian canal commission.

Rapid Drop at Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 23.—Within twenty-four hours after the Ohio river had passed the crest of the flood at this point the river had gone down one foot and the slow recession of the waters continued steadily. Many instances of peculiar hardship were reported during the day and now cases of needy families are hourly added to those to be provided for.

TODAY'S MARKETS

Local Markets.
Dressed Chickens—25c to 55c Eggs—25c doz.
Butter—25c lb.
Sweet Potatoes—Per bu. 60c.
Country Hams—15c lb.
Irish Potatoes—Per bu. 60c.
Green Sausage—10c lb.
Sausage—10c lb.
Country Lard—12c lb.
Celery—75c bunch.
Turnips—30c bu.
Parsnips—1.00 bu.
Green Tomatoes—50c basket.
Turnips—Three for 10c.
Lettuce—10c.
Spinach—50c bu.
Peas—10c qt.
Rabbits—15c each.
Honey—17c lb.

PADUCAH GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat—75c bu.
Corn—52c bu. in sacks.
Corn—50c bu. in sacks.
Hay—From Johanna to retail dealers—Straw grades. Choice Tim, \$21; No. 1 Tim, \$20; No. 2 Tim, \$19. Fancy northern clover \$20. From country wagons at public quality medium to very poor, \$8 to \$17 per ton for various mixtures.

PRINCETON STATION.

Katterjohn Secures Contract for the Brick Work.

George Katterjohn has secured the contract for brick work on the Illinois Central passenger station at Princeton for about \$15,000, and will go to Princeton Monday with a force of bricklayers to start the work. The contract is for a different construction, the wood work going to one contractor, the brick to another. Plans for the depot heretofore published show a \$35,000 structure of stone and brick for passenger service exclusively.

Richmond Blues Armory.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 23.—Fire, which threatened the retail business of the city for a time early this morning, was under control at 3:30 o'clock. It was confined to the Williams building, where it started. The armory of the Richmond Blues. In the Williams building was destroyed. The uniforms of the company, the oldest military organization in the United States were burned.

House Passes Consular Bills.

Washington, Jan. 23.—In addition to voting to several packages the house today passed the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill which carries over \$2,500,000 and the military academy appropriation bill carrying \$1,915,163. Both bills were taken up and passed without change.

When a man looks wise it is generally time to begin being suspicious about his really being so.

RIVER NEWS

River Stages.		
Cairo	47.8	1.4 rise
Chattanooga	8.0	1.4 rise
Cincinnati	63.2	1.4 fall
Evansville	45.9	0.5 rise
Florence	4.7	0.2 rise
Johnsonville	12.0	1.0 rise
Louisville	41.2	St'd
Mt. Carmel	23.2	0.3 rise
Nashville	27.9	2.5 rise
Pittsburg	10.9	0.3 fall
St. Louis	26.3	0.2 rise
Mt. Vernon	47.2	0.7 rise
Paducah	42.3	1.3 rise

Boats and rivermen, despite the high water, are going doggedly about their business, wherever it is possible to make landings. They are still hammering away at the ways and the dry docks have not been inconvenienced more by the high water than by low water, though the congestion of crippled steamboats above the docks makes a problem how to get boats off after they are finished. The Henry Harley and Kit Carson with several barges are lying ahead of the wharf blockading the avenue of escape.

The Kit Carson will leave Friday for Cairo to enter the trade between that point and Memphis. The wheel has been finished and other repairs practically are completed.

The Lydia will not get off the docks until the first part of next week and will be in fine shape. Tomorrow the Charles Turner will be taken out on the docks for repairs.

The Nashville Banner yesterday had a story of threatening letters received by Captain Tyner, of the Buttorf from "night riders" of the tobacco belt, who assert they will burn any steamer carrying tobacco not of the association. When efforts are made to destroy the property of river men, a different proposition will be struck from the farmers, who have tolerated the outrages. Rivermen, the majority of them, have little property themselves, and as facing death is an everyday thing with them, retaliatory measures probably would result from the rivermen. Then on a steamer, somebody is awake all the time, and the others can be aroused quicker than any men on earth. Uncle Sam will be affected also, the moment damage is attempted against marine property.

An organization of peanut growers similar to the Dark Tobacco Growers' association, is talked of among West Tennessee farmers. Its avowed purpose will be to raise prices on peanuts to the producer. In that case, a lively time for the steamboats probably would result, should the rivalry between the association and independent growers reach the point as in the tobacco situation. Peanuts are one of the largest items in the freight business of Tennessee river boats.

The City of Memphis will leave this evening at 6 o'clock for the Tennessee river.

The Dick Fowler had a fair trip to Cairo with last night's theater company as passengers. The passenger business therefore, was fair too.

The Buttorf came in this morning from Clarksville and will leave this afternoon for Nashville.

The Joe Fowler arrived this afternoon from Evansville with a good trip full along the line, and left, after attending to local business, for the same point.

The Inverness did not get away for the Cumberland river until today.

Official Forecasts.

The Ohio at Evansville will continue rising slowly during the next 24 hours, come to a stand then fall. At Mt. Vernon will continue rising during the next 36 hours, come to a stand, then fall. At Paducah and Cairo, the rise will continue for at least four days longer. The indicated event stages are as follows: Evansville close to 46 feet. Mt. Vernon between 17.5 and 18 feet. Paducah about 43 feet. Cairo about 49 feet.

The Tennessee from Florence to the mouth, no material change at present indicated.

The Mississippi from below St. Louis to Cairo, will continue rising. A stage of 29 to 30 feet is indicated for Cape Girardeau.

The lower Wabash will continue rising during the next 2 days, with about 24 to 25 feet now in sight for Mt. Carmel.

Source of '84 Flood.

The cause that combined to make the flood of 1884 in the Ohio valley were geographical, topographical and meteorological. The Ohio river is formed at Pittsburg, by the Allegheny and Monongahela rivers. The former has its source in numerous small creeks in the mountains of New York and Western Pennsylvania and eastern Ohio, draining an area of 13,000 square miles. The Monongahela has its source in Tygart river, beginning in the glades of Maryland and the West Fork in West Virginia, uniting at Palmyra, W. Va. Both drain an mountainous country. Below Palmyra the Cheat river, the largest tributary of the upper Monongahela, draining the mountains of the

Special Sale of Men's and Boys' Trousers

Every man knows that there is nothing quite so effective for bracing up an old suit as a pair of odd trousers. For a trifling cost you may get several months good service out of that coat and vest. Same thing for the boys going to school; rough work on boys' pants, as mothers know. The tempting reductions below apply to men's and boys' trousers and also to boys' knee pants in our Children's Department. Come in and see what we are offering; get the habit, for our bargains are always real ones.

75c Pants reduced to	.43
\$1.00 Pants reduced to	.75
1.50 Pants reduced to	\$1.13
2.00 Pants reduced to	1.50
3.00 Pants reduced to	2.25
4.00 Pants reduced to	3.00
5.00 Pants reduced to	3.75
6.00 Pants reduced to	4.50
7.00 Pants reduced to	5.25
8.00 Pants reduced to	6.00

This cut also applies to all Knee Pants in our Children's Department.



heln, draining the mountains of the central part of the state, enters the Monongahela. Snow had nothing to do with the present rise in the Ohio.

JOE HOWARD BELIEVED DYING.

Actor and Composer of Musical Comedies in St. Louis.

St. Louis, Jan. 23.—Joe E. Howard of Chicago, an actor and composer of "The Land of Nod," "The Umpire," "The Time, the Place and the Girl" and the musical comedies, is now thought to be dying at the Jefferson hotel. Pneumonia and kidney disease are his ailments. Mabel Harrison, his wife, is attending him. Mr. Howard was stricken while playing in Springfield, Ill., and expert medical attention was demanded. He was brought to St. Louis today on a special train. Dr. Boehm pronounces his case critical.

WIND PLAYS A STRANGE PRANK

Lifts Walls From the Ground Floor and Sweeps Furniture Away.

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 23.—A windstorm played tricks with the house of W. L. Foss, who lives on the heights at the edge of the town last night. The wind came down the mountain and the whole building, a

WRIGHT TO GIVE UP POST.

Private Cablegram From Tokio Says He Will Resign.

Washington, Jan. 23.—According to a private cablegram received in Washington today from a prominent government official in Manila, Gen. Luke Wright, American ambassador to Japan, has made known to his friends that he will retire from the diplomatic service next August and return to his home in Memphis, Tenn. to resume the practice of law. Neither President Roosevelt nor the secretary of state have been advised that Wright will relinquish his post at Tokio.

Addition to Glass Fund Today.

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